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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applio	eation of:	·		
	Yuji Vanagisawa	·		
Serial No:	09/967,298	Examiner: D. Yuan		
Filed:	September 28, 2001	Group Art Unit: 1745		
For: BATTERY WITH PROTECTION CIRCUIT FOR PREVENTING MALFUNCTION				
PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))				
Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313				
Dear Sir:				
This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to $\underline{\text{Office Action}}$ dated $\underline{\text{July 30, 2003}}$ for a period of $\underline{\text{3}}$ month(s).				
Appl	Applicant is: a small entity, verified statement is: attached already filed other than small entity			

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	One Month	\$110	\$55		
	Two Months	\$420	\$210		
$\overline{\boxtimes}$	Three Months	\$840	\$475		
	\$950-\$110 (Extension of				
		Time dated 11/6/2003=\$840)			
	Four Months	\$1,480	\$740		
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Fee Payment					
	Attached is a check for \$840 for the Petition fee. Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.				
	Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.				
		Respe	ctfully submitted,		
Dated: 1/29/04					
	•	Anthoi	ny P. Cyrtis, Ph.D.		
		Regist	ration No. 46,193		
		Agent	for Applicants		

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